

Walnut Grove Elementary FCRC



October 2016

The Family-Community Resource Center is open!

We are here Monday – Friday from 8-4. The FCRC is here to support families and student success. We can help connect families to resources in the community, as well as food, clothing, shoes and other necessities that we have on hand in our resource room. The FCRC is open to all Walnut Grove students and their families. Feel free to drop by!

1-2-3 Grow and Learn

Every Monday from Noon to 1:30 starting 9/12 we will be having Grow and Learn in our Media Center. This fun group is designed for kids that are not yet in school (0-5) and their guardian. We play games, make crafts, sing songs and read stories. There is no sign-up, no cost and it's a drop in program so come any week that works for you!

We are also doing a rewards program this year. You can get a free gift card just by coming 4 times to check us out. Come visit on Monday to find out more.

Discounted Children's Museum

Family Membership

The Portland Children's Museum offers the yearly Family Access membership **for only \$15** if you qualify for the discounted cost. This pass includes up to six family members and even guest passes. To qualify you must be receiving income assistance of some kind including but not limited to:

- FREE & REDUCED LUNCH
 - WIC
 - FOOD STAMPS
 - CHIP/MEDICAID
 - LIHEAP

For more information visit the website <http://www.portlandcm.org/join/family-access-program>

Or call the FCRC at 360-313-2964

Help for the Holidays

If you and your family need some extra support this upcoming holiday season keep in mind that many programs are starting sign-ups soon.

These programs fill up very quickly and deadlines are coming up **this month** for some of the Thanksgiving programs as well as some of the Christmas programs. If you need help finding programs that offer holiday support call the FCRC @ 360-313-2964

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The FCRC is looking for volunteers!

If you are interested in helping out in the FCRC please call Mrs. Harding @ 360-313-2964. There are many different volunteer opportunities from once a week to just one time. We would love to have you!